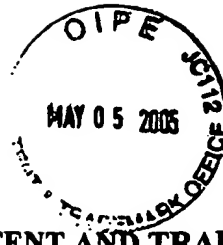


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In response to the Advisory Office Action mailed March 24, 2005, please find enclosed an AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS which contains allowable claims and cancelled claims in ascending order. Also enclosed is a Petition for a 2-month extension of time and a check in the amount of \$450.00 for the statutory fee.

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